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Academic Employment

Assistant Professor of Finance, Jindal School of Management, University of Texas at Dallas, 2020 -

Education

Ph.D. Finance, Simon Business School, University of Rochester, 2020.

M.S. Finance, Olin Business School, Washington University in St. Louis, 2014.

B.S. Applied Mathematics, University of New Mexico, 2012.

Research Interests

Asset Pricing, Mutual Funds, Investor Attention

Publications

1. Barking Up the Wrong Tree: Return-chasing in 401(k) Plans (with Anh Tran), *Journal of Financial Economics*, 2023.
2. Portfolio Pumping in Mutual Fund Families (sole-authored), *Journal of Financial Economics*, 2024.

Working Papers

1. Unmasking Mutual Fund Derivative Use, with Ron Kaniel

   under 2nd round of revision for resubmission to **Review of Financial Studies**.
2. Are All ESG Funds Created Equal? Only Some Funds Are Committed, with Michelle Lowry and Kelsey Wei

   under revision for resubmission to **Review of Financial Studies**
3. Unveiling Mutual Funds' Securities Lending Strategies: Value versus Volume, with Shuaiyu Chen and Anh Tran
4. Demand for Information and Stock Returns: Evidence from EDGAR.
5. Momentum, Echo and Predictability: Evidence from the London Stock Exchange, with Giulio Trigilia

Work in Progress

1. Trading and Momentum (with Ron Kaniel, Gideon Saar, and Sheridan Titman)
2. Smart Money or Dumb Money: Evidence from Inflow/Outflow Sensitivity
3. The Network of Lending in Mutual Funds (with Anh Tran)

Conference Presentations

American Finance Association Annual Meeting (San Antonio, 2024)

Conference on Financial Economics and Accounting (Rutgers, 2023)

China International Conference in Finance (Shanghai, 2023)*

Financial Intermediation Research Society Annual Meeting (Budapest, 2022)*

Commodity Futures Trading Commission (virtual, 2022)*

American Finance Association Annual Meeting (Boston, 2022)

Melbourne Asset Pricing Meeting (virtual, 2021)

Lone Star Finance Conference (College Station, 2021)

Summer Institute of Finance (Shanghai, 2021)

China International Conference in Finance (Shanghai, 2021)

Midwest Finance Association Annual Meeting (Chicago, 2021)

European Finance Association Annual Meeting (Helsinki, 2020)

Financial Management Association Annual Meeting (New York, 2020)*

Midwest Finance Association Annual Meeting (Chicago, 2020)*

Southern Finance Association Annual Meeting (Orlando, 2019)

Annual Conference on Financial Market Regulation (Washington DC, 2018)

American Finance Association Annual Meeting (Philadelphia, 2018)

Financial Management Association Annual Meeting (Boston, 2017)

Northern Finance Association Annual Conference (Halifax, 2017)

*: presented by coauthor(s)

Invited Seminars

2019: University of Delaware

2020: Texas A&M University, Chinese University of Hong Kong, University of Connecticut, University of Texas at Dallas, Southern Methodist University, Singapore Management University, University of Wisconsin-Madison

2021: University of Rochester (Brownbag)

2022: Systematic Risk Centre at London School of Economics and Political Science, Texas Tech University

Research Workshops

NBER's Summer Institute Asset Pricing Workshop (2017, Boston)

MIT Capital Markets Research Workshop (2017, Boston)

Honors & Awards

Outstanding Doctoral Student Paper, Southern Finance Association, 2019

AFA Doctoral Student Travel Grant, American Finance Association, 2017

Simon Business School Doctoral Fellowship, 2014-2019

Outstanding Finance Student Award, Quantitative Finance, Olin Business School, 2014.

Teaching Experience

Instructor, *Optimization (PhD)*, Simon Business School, 2016-2017

Instructor, *FIN 3320: Business Finance*, Jindal School of Management, 2021-

Refereeing

Journal of Financial Econometrics, Management Science, Review of Financial Studies, Review of Asset Pricing Studies

Miscellaneous

Programming Languages: Python, R, Matlab, Stata, SAS, SQL.